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Sent: Friday, March 10, 2023 12:49 PM

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Alyssa Titche

Subject: RE: Moog v. Skyryse/Subpoena for records produced to iDS

Jim,

On behalf of Mr. Pilkington, we join Mr. Gelberg's position in all respects and assert Mr. Pilkington's Fifth Amendment privilege over all potentially responsive materials received from him including, but not limited to, the catalogue of the devices in IDS' possession attached to your March 9 email.

Regards,

Scott Tenley

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Jim,

I write on behalf of defendant Misook Kim. The production of the catalogue of items described in your email, below, raises important privilege issues. Upon learning of the subpoena, we immediately reached out to government counsel. To give us an adequate opportunity to have those discussions with the government, we're asserting Ms. Kim's Fifth Amendment privilege over all potentially responsive materials received from her including, but not limited to, the

catalogue of the devices in IDS' possession attached to your March 9 email. Accordingly, we object to any production on that basis at this time. We will let you know when we have had an opportunity to confer with the government.

With respect to compliance with the terms of the subpoena, including paragraph 2, it is sufficient for purposes of an objection to note that Ms. Kim has asserted privilege over all information that would be responsive to the subpoena, including information that may be disclosed in a traditional privilege log. It is our position that paragraph 2 of the subpoena contemplates a privilege log for communications, which are not applicable here, and therefore additional information is not necessary in order to properly invoke the privilege.

Best, Grant

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Moog v. Skyryse/Subpoena for records produced to iDS

Rachel/Grant,

I am reattaching the subpoena. Rachel, not to worry, they have not asked for a production of data in the traditional sense. The subpoena does not seek any of the underlying data, it instead demands a catalogue of what has been provided to iDS, a list of the forensic images created, that sort of thing. I am also attaching the evidence tracker to help you understand what has been provided to iDS. Please note that I cannot use a blanket objection of privilege for this subpoena. If after having reviewed the subpoena, you believe there is a legitimate and specific item on the list that should not be disclosed due to privilege, page 2 tells you how that specific privileged item must be identified. We will also need to have you signed on with iDS for a change in counsel. I will follow-up later today on that. And finally, if you are not approved, are you authorized to make legal decisions on behalf of the IDs? NOT trying to come across the wrong way, it's just that yesterday was the first time I heard that WSSLLP was out so I'm making sure I dot my I's on my side.

Thanks

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[EXTERNAL SENDER]

Counsel - can someone please send the subpoena mentioned below? We did not receive the attachment. My firm and Grant Gelberg's firm substituted into the case this week (and as of yesterday the court had not approved). We need a moment to get up to speed regarding all issues and absolutely object to any production in the meantime as we assume a privilege review is necessary and any production would be improper at this juncture.

Thank you.

Rachel Fiset

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Jim,

Please be advised that Alex Truitt and I are no longer counsel to the individual defendants. We should be removed from future emails. I have cc'd Mr. Pilkington's substitute counsel, Rachel Fiset, and Ms. Kim's substitute counsel, Grant Gelberg. All future communications should include them.

Thank you and it was a pleasure working with you and your team,

Anthony Green

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Dear All,

Please see the attached subpoena. Absent any claim of privilege, we intend to produce the items required by mail. If you intend to exercise privilege over any of these items, please let me know by the end of the week.

Thanks

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